

ORDINANCE #: 2015-03

AN ORDINANCE CREATING A DRIVERS EDUCATION SAFETY TRUST FUND PURSUANT TO THE “DORI SLOSBERG DRIVER EDUCATION SAFETY ACT”;
PROVIDING FOR THE COLLECTION OF \$3.00 WITH EACH CIVIL TRAFFIC PENALTY LEVIED TO BE DEPOSITED INTO THE TRUST FUND; PROVIDING FOR THE EXPENDITURES FROM THE DRIVERS EDUCATION SAFETY TRUST FUND TO BE USED TO FINANCIALLY ASSIST CALHOUN COUNTY DRIVERS EDUCATION SAFETY PROGRAMS (TEEN DRIVER CHALLENGE COURSE) OFFERED BY THE CALHOUN COUNTY SHERIFF’S OFFICE TO STUDENTS OF ALL PUBLIC AND NON-PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN CALHOUN COUNTY; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS, MODIFICATION, SEVERABILITY, REPEALER AND; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE THEREIN.

WHEREAS, Section 98 of Chapter 2002-20, Laws of Florida, known as the “Dori Slosberg Driver Education Safety Act”, authorizes this Board to enact an Ordinance requiring the Clerk of the Court to collect an additional \$3.00 with each civil traffic penalty to fund the Teen Driver Challenge traffic education program of the Calhoun County Sheriff’s Office for students of all public and non-public schools in Calhoun County, Florida.

WHEREAS, Implementation of the Dori Slosberg Driver Education Safety Act is in the best interest of the citizens of Calhoun County.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of County Commissioners of Calhoun County, Florida:

1. This Ordinance is enacted pursuant to the authority vested in the Board of County Commissioners by Section 98 of Chapter 2002-20, Laws of Florida and Florida Statute 318.1215 known as the “Dori Slosberg Driver Education Safety Act”.
2. On or after October 1, 2015, the Court shall collect an additional \$3.00 with each civil traffic penalty in Calhoun County.
3. The Clerk shall keep and maintain a record of collections. The Clerk shall forward to the Board of County Commissioners collections for deposit into a special and separate account titled “Drivers Education Safety Trust Fund”.
4. Monies deposited into the Drivers’ Education Safety Trust Fund shall be used to financially assist the Teen Driver Challenge course offered to all Calhoun County students (public and non-public students) by the Calhoun County Sheriff’s Office. This program requires that a minimum of 30 percent of a student’s time in the program is behind-the-wheel training. The funds shall be used only for direct educational expenses and not for administration purposes.
5. The Board of County Commissioners retains the right to distribute the funds from the Driver Education Safety Trust Fund to programs that meet the criteria. The Board of County Commissioners shall approve all disbursements from the fund.
6. The Teen Driver Challenge course will submit the education plan to the Board of County Commissioners prior to receiving assistance from the Driver Education Safety Trust Fund.
7. Repealer Any and all ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of any conflict.
8. Conflicts All ordinances or part of the ordinances in conflict with the provision of this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict, except to the extent of any

conflicts with any conflicting state general or special law controlling the Calhoun County Teen Drive Education, which provisions shall prevail over any parts of this ordinance which are inconsistent, either in whole or in part.

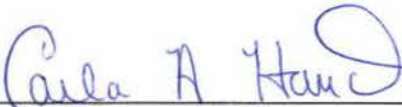
9. Modification It is the intent of the Board of County Commissioners that the provisions of this Ordinance may be modified as a result of considerations that may arise during public hearings. Such modifications shall be incorporated into the final version of the Ordinance adopted by the Board and filed by the Clerk of the Board.
10. Severability If any provisions or portion of this Ordinance is declared by any court of competent jurisdiction to be void, unconstitutional, or unenforceable, then all remaining provisions and portions of this Ordinance shall remain in full force and effect
11. Effective Date This ordinance shall take effect as provided by law.

The foregoing ordinance was adopted by a vote of 5 to 0 by the Board of County Commissioners, Calhoun County, Florida, after due notice and publication and on motion, second and discussion at the regular meeting of September 22, 2015.

CALHOUN COUNTY BOARD OF
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

BY: 
THOMAS FLOWERS, Chairman

ATTEST:


CARLA HAND, Clerk of the Circuit Court